REMARKS

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111(a)(2), since the present amendment is limited to cancellation of claims, Applicants request entry of the supplemental amendment. Claims 1-14 and 23-28 are pending after entry of the present amendment. The Examiner has imposed a restriction requirement on the present application in an Office Action dated July 27, 2005. Claims 15-22, which are directed to non-elected subject matter, have been canceled. Applicants reserve the right to prosecute canceled subject matter in one or more related applications. No new matter has been added. Applicants believe that all objections and rejections have been obviated and the application is now in condition for allowance.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendment and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that all of the formal objections and rejections of the pending claims have been obviated and the rejections should be withdrawn. No new matter has been added by these amendments. Applicants respectfully submit that all claims are now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, allowance of the present application is respectfully requested.

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